

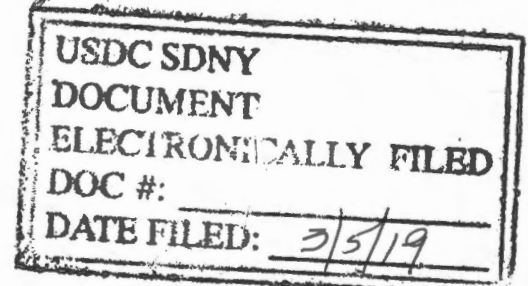
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**BY ECF**

Hon. Sidney H. Stein  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007



Re: *United States v. Jorge Rodriguez Lopez*, No. 18-CR-868-

Dear Judge Stein:

**MEMO ENDORSED**

I write to respectfully request an adjournment of the sentencing hearing scheduled for March 7, 2019. I have conferred with counsel for the government, who consents to this request.

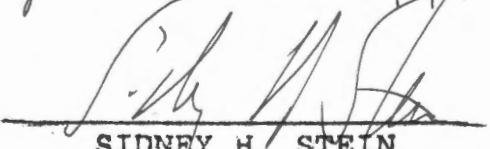
The reason for this request is that I am currently on trial before the Honorable Paul G. Gardephe in *United States v. Latique Johnson et al.*, No. 16-CR-281. Trial commenced on February 19, 2019, and is expected to last through the month of March. (Trial was delayed eight days due to the disruptions with legal visiting and other conditions at the MDC Brooklyn. Due to that adjournment, Judge Gardephe also modified our trial days so that we now break at 2:30, further lengthening the duration of trial somewhat.) In addition, the Probation Department disclosed the final presentence report on February 28, 2019, which I will need to review with Mr. Rodriguez Lopez with the aid of an interpreter. Accordingly, Mr. Rodriguez Lopez respectfully requests an adjournment of the sentencing hearing of approximately forty-five days. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Ezra Spilke

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U.S.D.J.

*The sentencing is adjourned to April 24 at 2:30 pm. Defense submissions are due two weeks prior to sentencing; government submissions are due one week prior to sentencing.*  
SO ORDERED 3/5/19